

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A polyester fiber containing polyethylene terephthalate at 90 mol% or higher of a whole repeating unit in a molecular chain thereof, the fiber having an intrinsic viscosity [IV] of 0.85 dl/g or higher and simultaneously meeting the following characteristics: (a) strength \geq 6.0 cN/dtex; (b) strength \times (breaking elongation) $^{0.5}$ \leq 26.0 cN/dtex.% $^{0.5}$; (c) monofilament linear density \leq 5.0 dtex; and (d) main dispersion peak temperature of loss tangent ($\tan \delta$) in the measurement of dynamic viscoelasticity at 110 Hz \leq 147.0°C, and a polyester dipped cord, which is obtainable by twisting one or more than one base yarn together into a pretwisted yarn, where the base yarn is made of a polyester fiber according to any one of claims 1 to 4; twisting two or more pretwisted yarns together into a greige cord; and subjecting the greige cord to dip treatment to give a dipped cord simultaneously meeting the following characteristics: (a) tenacity conversion efficiency in the dip treatment (dipped cord tenacity / greige cord tenacity) \geq 96%; and (b) elongation at a specific load + dry heat shrinkage \leq 7.5%.